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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
August 22, 1992

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Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended August 22, 1992, as estimated from railroad car loadings by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 20 million short tons. This was slightly higher than in the previous week, and about the same as in the comparable week in 1991.

Production East of the Mississippi River totaled 12 million short tons, and production West of the Mississippi River totaled 9 million short tons.

Figure 1. Coal Production

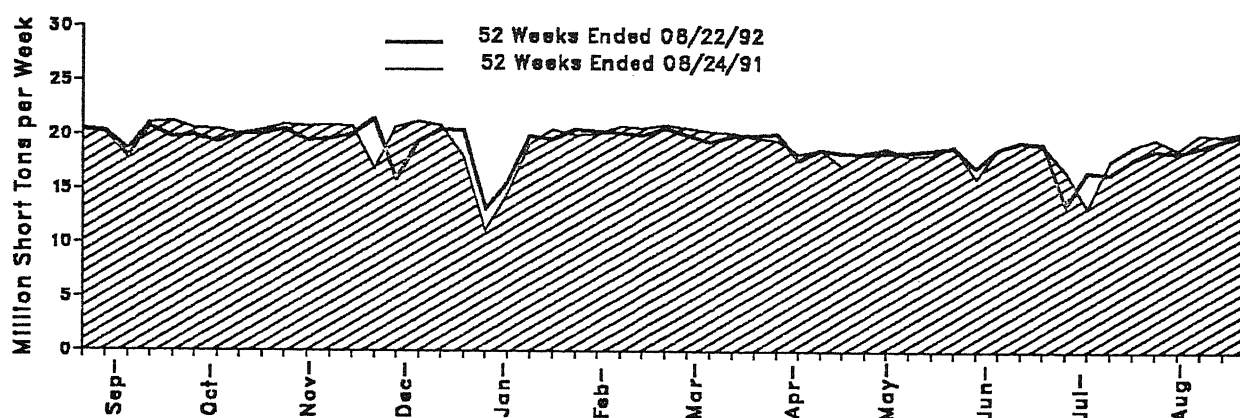


Table 1. Weekly U.S. Coal Production Overview

| Production and Carloadings | Week Ended | | | 52 Weeks Ended | | |
|--|------------|----------|----------|----------------|-----------|----------------|
| | 08/22/92 | 08/15/92 | 08/24/91 | 08/22/92 | 08/24/91 | Percent Change |
| Production (Thousand Short Tons) | | | | | | |
| Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite | 20,098 | 19,541 | 20,342 | 983,218 | 994,402 | -1.1 |
| Pennsylvania Anthracite | 42 | 52 | 65 | 2,947 | 3,143 | -6.2 |
| U.S. Total..... | 20,140 | 19,593 | 20,407 | 986,165 | 997,544 | -1.1 |
| Railroad Cars Loaded | 132,665 | 129,114 | 136,177 | 6,396,100 | 6,517,409 | -1.9 |

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: All data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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Table 2. Weekly U.S. Coal Production by Region and State
(Thousand Short Tons)

| Region and State | Week Ended | | |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | 08/22/92 | 08/15/92 | 08/24/91 |
| Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite | | | |
| East of the Mississippi | 11,577 | 11,400 | 12,267 |
| Alabama | 616 | 593 | 588 |
| Illinois | 1,186 | 1,104 | 1,173 |
| Indiana | 562 | 515 | 631 |
| Kentucky | 3,136 | 3,057 | 3,472 |
| Kentucky, Eastern | 2,242 | 2,142 | 2,548 |
| Kentucky, Western | 894 | 915 | 924 |
| Maryland | 70 | 67 | 91 |
| Ohio | 513 | 573 | 604 |
| Pennsylvania Bituminous | 1,156 | 1,281 | 1,234 |
| Tennessee | 94 | 89 | 88 |
| Virginia | 871 | 822 | 964 |
| West Virginia | 3,372 | 3,298 | 3,422 |
| West of the Mississippi | 8,520 | 8,141 | 8,075 |
| Alaska | 28 | 27 | 24 |
| Arizona | 233 | 227 | 255 |
| Arkansas | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Colorado | 417 | 365 | 310 |
| Iowa | 7 | 6 | 7 |
| Kansas | 9 | 7 | 7 |
| Louisiana | 78 | 68 | 63 |
| Missouri | 45 | 44 | 51 |
| Montana | 780 | 780 | 784 |
| New Mexico | 507 | 459 | 429 |
| North Dakota | 590 | 590 | 569 |
| Oklahoma | 48 | 44 | 39 |
| Texas | 1,192 | 1,160 | 1,243 |
| Utah | 465 | 402 | 402 |
| Washington | 88 | 86 | 116 |
| Wyoming | 4,033 | 3,874 | 3,776 |
| Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Total | 20,098 | 19,541 | 20,342 |
| Pennsylvania Anthracite | 42 | 52 | 65 |
| U.S. Total | 20,140 | 19,593 | 20,407 |

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